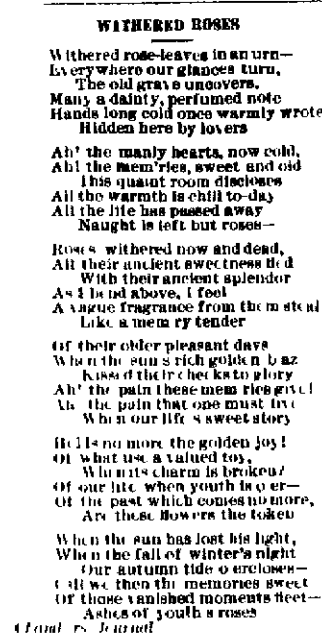


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Harmon's Lettering in New York

Scientific American

Among the curious and interesting industrial facts brought to light during the census inquiries, not the least is the fact that the recently introduced art of diamond cutting has been so admirably developed by that the diamonds cut in Amsterdam are now sent to this city for re-cutting. Hitherto Amsterdam has monopolized the work of diamond cutting, and the aim there has been to remove in cutting the least possible weight of the gem. The American plan is to cut mathematically, according to recognized laws of light, so as to secure the utmost brilliancy for the finished stone. The greater loss in weight, as compared with the Amsterdam cutting, is thus more than made good by the superior brilliancy of the product. From the inquiries made by Chief Special Census Agent Charles E. Hill it appears that the average increase of value given to diamonds by the New York cutting is \$5,000 for each person employed for twelve months; also, that our dealers are receiving the best Amsterdam cut gems from abroad to be recut here and returned.

Didn't Remember His Own Name

New London, Conn., Day

"A gentleman of this city tells the following anecdote of the late Dr. Spring, for many years pastor of the Old Brick Church in New York city, for the accuracy of which he vouches. When the doctor had reached a good old age and had become somewhat feeble he was met by one of his old parishioners just as he was coming out of the New York post office. "How do you do, Dr. Spring?" asked the friend, "I am very glad to see you." "How do you do, ———?" replied the doctor. "I am very well, and I am very glad to have met you, but I have better in the post office, for I don't retain a house. I couldn't remember my own name. Now I am going in again."

Put it to Proof

At a time when the community is loaded with so many unworthy devices and contrivances, it is a relief to find one that is beneficial and pure. Such is the product of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, of the worth of their remedy, that they offer it who desire a total free of charge. This certainly would be disastrous to them did not the remedy possess the remarkable curative qualities claimed. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will positively cure Coughs, Colds, Phthisis, Hoarseness, Whooping Cough, Asthma, Hoarseness, Croup or any affection of the throat and lungs. As you value your existence give this wonderful remedy a trial by calling on Hubbard & Simmons, druggists, and obtaining a bottle free of charge, or a regular bottle for \$1.00.

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to put in our customers, never make an
error in judgment. Longingly, always

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Will give \$3 50 per week for one willing
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thou have to let it never fail, will make me
happy. Life is too short to waste away

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The Republicans of New York state are beginning to push the work of the campaign with vigor. "Union and harmony for the sake of victory," is the battle-cry.

Ohio's Republican majority is not less than 24,000, and the official returns may swell it to over 25,000. The Republicans will have a good working majority in the legislature.

ONE of the worst gangs of counterfeiters in this country has been broken up in Kentucky and Tennessee recently. Six of the rascals were jailed at Paris, Tenn., last week. So far fourteen of the band have been arrested. Twenty-nine are still at large.

Mrs. GARFIELD will shortly remove to Cleveland, where she has rented the elegant residence of Col. W. H. Harris, formerly of this city. The residence, No. 490 Euclid Avenue, is one of the most charming on that wonderful thoroughfare, said by Bayard Taylor to be the finest avenue in the world.

PROF. KLEIN, a Louisville astronomer, writes the *Courier Journal* that for many weeks he has been watching a strange double comet, which is attended by nine smaller comets of cometary fractions. He believes it to be the comet of 1811 and 1845, the latter of which was thought to have been destroyed.

A CORRESPONDENT of the *Inter Ocean* has found the eldest brother of General Garfield living in an obscure way in the woods of northern Michigan. The simplicity and poverty of his life contrast strangely with the events that have taken place with reference to his brother within the last year. The suggestion that a small portion of the fund contributed to Mrs. Garfield might be sent to him, to make his declining years more comfortable, is well timed.

AS THE returns come in from different parts of Great Britain and other parts of Europe, the extent of the disasters by the recent great hurricane proves to have been much greater than the first reports have indicated. It is now ascertained that at least eighty-five vessels were lost along the British coast, and that in all one hundred and thirty vessels were wrecked during last week. Over 140 lives were lost, and the loss of property is estimated at over \$32,000,000, of which \$24,000,000 falls to Great Britain. The storm extended as far east as Germany.

THE Democratic editors have learned, by long and severe training in the bitter school of adversity, to extract comfort from the most insignificant sources. Necessity has compelled them to forego the pleasures of a full meal, and they enjoy with a zest born of long abstinence the few crumbs that occasionally fall to their hungry lot. Just now they are making merry over the fact that Senator David Davis has appointed one of their party as his private secretary, and they chuckle and grin over this beggarly sop with a thankfulness that is well calculated to produce feelings of pity and compassion in the hearts of all beholders. They can think and talk of nothing else now, save this act of charity on the part of the man who doubtless learned of their pitiable condition while he was "among them yet not of them," and was thereby prompted to give to one of the starvelings the only "place" at his disposal.

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Most of the Democratic senators bore the bawling of Bayard from the chair with good grace, for they don't like him overmuch. As his countrymen tried to hear him out, they called "the Jot," so the Democratic flesh crawls at the reiteration of the name "Honest Tom" Bayard. But their smile was ghastly when President pro tem Davis announced his list for the committee vacancies, putting the Republicans Abrams, Miller and Lapham in the old places of Barnside, Conkling and Platt. That was the time when a Democratic president would have counted. Ordinarily the presiding officer is only a figurehead.—*Globe Democrat*.

Our great job lot of large size bed comforts at 35 cents each are selling fast; also those wide caston flannels at 7 cents cannot last long at the rate they are going. Call and see them at the Popular New York Store.

BERTIE'S PHILOSOPHY.

Small boy Bertie
Drumming on the pane,
Looking at the chickens,
Dragged with the rain.
Little philosopher
Wishes his brow,
Says, "I wonder
I don't see how."
"Where do chickens come from?"
Mamma, please to tell,
Yes, I know they come from eggs,
Know that very well.
"Course the old hen hatched 'em
I know that, but then—
Won't you tell me the way,
Where'd they get the hen?"
"Spose'n you were my boy,
All the one I had,
And big folks wouldn't tell things,
Shouldn't you feel bad?"
"Every single thing you say
I know years ago,
Where that first hen came from
Is what I want to know."

Carter Harrison's Creed.

Springfield Post.

The singular spectacle of the mayor of Chicago standing up before a committee of citizens—men of business, not sentiment—and lauding his mother for feeding his baby stomach on whisky today, is suggestive at least. Suggestive of a brain either turned by the stimulant of spirits, or an inordinate hope of making capital for a future campaign. That after such youthful experience he is "not now a drunkard," as he says, may well be a thing to feel thankful for, but it is very small excuse for boasting. Carter is not too old to become a drunkard yet, or what would be infinitely worse, by his example, and by the freedom with which he advertises it, make drunkards of some who otherwise become useful and honorable men. The man who, for the sake of winning popularity or a future nomination, joyously boasts of his feats of drinking, even from his mother's breast, is an ass whose example is just the most prominent thing in the world to be shunned.

IOWA'S state election of last week was one of the biggest Republican victories yet achieved in that banner Republican state of the Union. The general vote was comparatively light, and yet the official returns will give the state ticket a majority not much below 50,000, and the new legislature will stand 114 Republicans, 24 Democrats, 9 Greenbackers and fusionists—81 Republican majority on joint ballot. It seems to be generally conceded now that the Hon. James P. Wilson has a "dead sure thing" for United States senator.

A WASHINGTON correspondent says: "President Arthur has become to the politicians as much of a sphinx as General Grant was. Speaking of an interview with him the other day, a prominent political leader said: 'You can't get a word out of him. He is a complete mystery. He is courteous, genial, pleasant, glad to hear everything, and is getting good advice in large quantities; but he gives no intimation as to his purposes.'"

EX VICE PRESIDENT HAMLIN wears no overcoat, even in the coldest winter, and is as vigorous as at 40. The dark-eyed Castilian maidens of Madrid will find our ambassador equal to the task of swinging corners, and all the courtesies of younger men. Leaving a multitude of friends in America, he has all the qualities of head and heart to make many more in his new home. No man could represent the statesmanship and manhood of the new world better.

THE late Matthew Vassar left \$50,000 to the scholarship and educational funds of Vassar college, and \$80,000 for the endowment of two professorships, one of languages, the other of natural science, with the provision that the latter sum shall lapse to the city ofoughkeepsie if a woman be placed in either of the chairs thus endowed.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR is said not to be looking well. He has lost much of his exuberant vitality, has grown slow in his movements, and his face bears the expression of sleepless nights and an overtaxed brain.

ALL the Democratic papers are of the opinion that Senator Edmunds' remark about Bayard having "drawn a prize in the lottery of assassination" was in very bad taste.

DEMOCRATS say they have been used to the soothing effects of "Davis' pain-killer," but the effect of the recent application in the senate was anything but pleasant to sore heads.

KEOKUK, Oct. 18.—The river still continues to boom, and now marks several inches higher, than the freshest of last spring. The outlook is dangerous, and great damage has been done here. There has been a rise of four inches during the last twenty-four hours, and operations at the lumber yards have been suspended. The water is gradually covering the floor of the St. Louis & St. Paul Packet depot. There is over a foot of water over the tracks of the Iowa Division of the Wabash and the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, and no trains left on that road last evening. The Rock Island train left on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy track this morning. If the water continues to rise work will have to be suspended at the round houses and car shops.

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—The rainfall over the northwest continues, and the troubles of the high water seem increasing. It is feared the breaking of the St. Louis levee is again imminent. The water, being as high as in last June. It is being repaired in the weak spots. At noon the sun is out here and there is a little better prospect for the cessation of rain elsewhere.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 18.—Yesterday Confederate bonds were regularly placed upon the list of marketable securities at the Stock Exchange in this city. When they were called \$35 per \$1,000 was bid, but holders asked \$10. There were no transactions at this price. Many holders of this long neglected paper seem to think they are going to get rich upon it, and are holding for big prices.

TELEGRAPHIC

YORKTOWN.

How It's Centennial was Begun Yesterday.

A Big Claim Against Peru and Chili.

THE WILD WATERS.

YORKTOWN, Oct. 18.—There was a light shower this morning and the weather is cooler. Eight boats arrived between midnight and eight o'clock this morning, bringing many troops and civilians. Among the former were detachments from Delaware, Michigan, Virginia and New Hampshire. At 10 o'clock salutes were fired from General Hancock's camp. The steamer Excelsior, with the Yorktown congressional committee on board, arrived this morning and received salutes from General Hancock's camp and the war vessels in the harbor. Shortly after the Dispatch and Tallapoosa have in sight and were saluted by the camp and gunboats.

The distinguished guests, governors and congressmen, began to arrive at Lafayette hall about 11 o'clock. Gen. Hancock arrived at noon and paid his respects to the governor of Virginia. Many persons were presented to the general. At 12:30 President Arthur, accompanied by Secretaries Hunt, James and Lincoln, arrived at the hall and were received by Master of Ceremonies Corbin. The President shook hands with the distinguished visitors present. A line was then formed, and the party marched to the grand stand, where the ceremony of laying the corner stone of the monument was to occur. The Masonic procession looked imposing with Tylers with drawn swords, and Stewards bearing white rods, the Master Masons, Deacons, secretaries and treasurers marching six abreast, followed by the visiting brethren and the Grand Com-manderies of Virginia and other states, the President and party, also attended by all the troops in the camp. The President was loudly cheered during the march.

The ceremonies opened with prayer by Rev. Robert Nelson, grandson of Governor Nelson, who commanded the Virginia militia at Yorktown. At the conclusion of the prayer the band played "The Star-Spangled Banner," with artillery accompaniment.

Governor Holliday, of Virginia, then delivered an address of welcome. The governor has a fine presence, and was frequently applauded. His allusions to the unity of sentiment, purpose and destiny of all sections of our common country were greeted with enthusiastic applause.

J. W. Johnston, of Virginia, chairman of the congressional commission, then sketched the history of the surrender, and read from the original documents an account of the action of congress at the time. He exhibited the sword voted to the messenger who bore the news of the surrender, and alluded to the fact that W. W. Henry, grandson of Patrick Henry, and Rev. Dr. Nelson, grandson of Governor Nelson, were on the stand. In conclusion he said the column now to be erected was to commemorate not only the victory of the colonies, but also the part taken in that victory by France. The recognition and acknowledgment of the aid given by France in that hour was a duty left by the Continental congress to its successors, and now, after one hundred years, the congress of thirty-eight states and fifty millions of people is filling that duty. Three millions of people and thirteen colonies accomplished the great work, and now fifty millions of people and thirty-eight states celebrate it. By invitation representatives of the French nation participate in this celebration. Again French soldiers tread American soil, and French vessels ride the York river. The model monument to be erected is before us. Thirteen figures support the column, inscribed with the names of the thirty-eight states, and crowned with the figure of Liberty, embodying the idea that from the thirteen colonies grew the thirty-eight states, and sprang the truest liberty ever enjoyed by any people. On the four sides of the base, carrying out the original design of the Continental congress, are the emblems of the alliance between us and his most Christian majesty, and a succinct narrative of the surrender of Earl Cornwallis, and now, as an appropriate opening of our celebration, the corner-stone of the monument will be laid with all the ceremonies befitting so great an occasion, by the order of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, of which Washington, himself, was a chief member.

The workmen, under the direction of the Grand Master of Virginia, then laid the stone. The chair occupied by the Grand Master, on the occasion, was the one which Lord Botetourt, the loyal governor of the Old Dominion, presented to the Grand Lodge of Virginia, and in which George Washington sat when Grand Master of the Virginia Masons. The sash and apron worn by the grand master were worked by Mrs. Lafayette, and presented to Washington in 1784 at Mt. Vernon. In 1812 they were given to Washington Lodge at Alexandria, Va. The gavel was made from a portion of the quarter deck of the United States frigate Lawrence, the flagship of Commodore Perry at Lake Erie, Sept. 10, 1813. Judge B. R. Welford, of Va., the masonic orator, then made an eloquent closing address.

President Arthur and party then left for the steamer Dispatch. The steamer bearing the commission, Secretary Blaine and others, was in the stream two hours and a half before discovered from the shore, while the corner stone was being laid. Blaine sent word to the authorities, but too late, as the ceremonies were completed and the party returned to the Tallapoosa. The scene on the river front was inspiring, the vessels all decked with flags, the salutes, the gay uniforms, the music of the bands and drums and fifes, as troops landed and marched to their headquarters, and crowds of people of all nationalities, formed a striking picture. The usual drills at the camp to day was witnessed by thousands. Nearly all the troops have arrived. The Ninth Massachusetts regiment reached Yorktown about 4:30 this morning. Their behavior on entering the camp was such as to cause General Hancock to make official complaint to the officer of the day. Many distinguished persons in the camp were serenaded to-night. The First Virginia and the Richmond Light Infantry Blues arrived late this afternoon. Three hundred vocalists, who were to sing the national songs at the ceremonies, were also detained. Gen. Grube, of New York, entertained many army officers at a banquet this evening. The pyrotechnic display to-night was a success. All the war vessels were brilliantly illuminated. On the Franklin the light showed the outline of the ship and rigging with magnificent effect. From a yacht in the harbor went forth constant streams of rockets, etc.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—A most remarkable paper has recently been filed in the state department here and served upon the ministers of Peru and Chili. It is nothing less than a claim for about \$1,000,000, being, it seems, somewhat in the nature of a lien for that amount upon the enormously valuable deposits of fertilizers, nitrates and guano in Peru. The claimant is the Peruvian Company, a corporation existing under a state charter. It comes into the possession of its claim by succession, by assignment and otherwise, to the claims of Cochet and Landreau, the discoverers of the deposits in question. They were, respectively, awarded by act of the Peruvian congress, certain proportions of the result of their discoveries, which consideration was never paid and is the subject of the claims now advanced in this new form. Cochet and Landreau were French citizens, but Landreau was in partnership with his brother, a naturalized citizen of the United States, and his claim has been repeatedly before congress. The mere magnitude of this claim would scarcely entitle it to attention, but the fact that this claim is vested in American citizens, who are now seeking to enforce their asserted rights of contract against Chili's rights of conquest, and who are demanding the protection—forcible protection, if possible—of the Federal government, is not without significance. Moreover, the character of the men interested in the company, according to the statement of the company's president and attorney—J. R. Shepherd, of New York City—entitles it to a re-possible examination of its deserts. General Grant, for one, is both convinced of the justice and soundness of the claim and in favor of its vigorous support by the executive. Ex-Secretary Boutwell is the counsel of the company in Washington, and Hon. Scott Lord in New York city. Both of these gentlemen are said to entertain no doubt as to the legality of the claim. Senator Eaton, of Connecticut, and Senator Cragin, of New Hampshire, are of like opinion. The matter has been already the subject of correspondence between the state department and the United States ministers at Lima, and coincidentally with the service of the formal notice upon the Peruvian and Chilean ministers, application was made for the sending of such vigorous instructions to Minister Hurlbut that the company's rights are likely soon to be tested. These instructions have been sent, and the company's attorney expresses his satisfaction with their tenor.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—It is now announced by Mr. Scoville, counsel for Guiteau, that all questions of jurisdiction and malpractice will be waived, and the defense take their stand on the plea of insanity alone. This determination has been arrived at because of the short time in which they have to prepare for trial, and because of the discovery of Guiteau's application some time ago for a pension. Guiteau had never been in the army, and the medical examiner indorsed upon the paper "insane."

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—The Democratic bitterness against Senator David Davis is very little understood outside of the narrow senatorial circle. It is evident they are very much disappointed with his recent course. There is a general feeling among the Democrats that Davis should be ostracized as he cannot get a pair from this side of the chamber," says another. "I regard the sale of Davis worse than the bargain and sale of Mahone," says another Democratic senator. "Mahone sold himself to the Republicans for the promotion of his friends, while Davis sold himself for his own personal elevation." This is strong language coming from senators of the United States toward a brother senator, but it is weak enough as an expression of the esteem in which Mr. Davis is held at present by the Democratic senators.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—Lord Carlisleford (Liberal) who, as Chamberlain Fortescue, was twice chief secretary for Ireland, speaking at Radstock, last evening, said there was no ground left for argument between the government and the people on one side and the Land League and its leaders on the other; that the league

leaders had, unhappily, chosen to carry the issue into the quite different field of force. He trusted and believed there would be no armed insurrection in Ireland, and that no excited body of men would compel an armed force to shed blood. But still the methods of the league were such as could only be met by force in some shape. The 52d Regiment embarked for Ireland to-day. Women and other non-effectives remain in England as if the regiment were ordered into active service. The police force at Hawarden Castle, Gladstone's residence, was strengthened. It has been decided if Gladstone's condition does not improve to summon a medical adviser.

DUBLIN, Oct. 18.—The Irish Privy Council decided to proclaim Dublin City under the coercion act. Loyal citizens are warned to remain at home after dark. In Limerick the liquor shops are ordered closed from five this evening till Wednesday morning, rioting being feared.

At Longford the Land League to day held its last public meeting for the present. Rev. Mr. Cantwell presided. There was a crowded attendance, including T. D. Sullivan, J. G. Biggar and Edmund Leamy, members of parliament. The secretary stated the week's receipts amounted to £2,239, of which £1,764 were from America. He read a long manifesto which states that the League is now unable to present test cases to the new land courts, and that there is only a constitutional weapon left, which it has previously hesitated to use. The executive advised members henceforth to pay no rent until the leaders are released. The chairman said this was the time for activity, not for speaking. The leaders might be arrested, but the priest-hood remained to guide the people. He counseled a passive resistance.

The manifesto was signed by Parnell, Kettle, Davitt, Brennan, Dillon, Sexton and Eaton.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—At a meeting of 4,000 Land Leaguers and Home Rulers in Liverpool, resolutions were passed protesting against the arrests in Ireland. F. H. O'Donnell, member of parliament for Dungarvin, gave a characteristic description of the violence of the police in Dublin. He called the Premier William Juddas.

A Dublin correspondent says the experiment of making some concessions by partially withdrawing the police from view, so as to avoid irritation, is not likely to be redopted. The spirit of the mob Tuesday night was wantonly mischievous.

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Divorce Notice. STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss. Macon County, In the Circuit Court, December Term, A. D. 1891. Caroline Ladow vs. Seth P. Ladow. APPEAL from the non-residence of Seth P. Ladow, the above named defendant, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon County, notice is hereby given to said Seth P. Ladow that the above-named complaint has filed her bill for divorce in said court against him, and that the same is returnable on the first day of the December term, A. D. 1891, thereof, to be held at the Court House in Decatur, in said County, on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1891—which suit is still pending. E. MCLELLAN, Clerk. Oct. 19, 1891.—d&w

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March 1, 1891

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS,

Macou County,

In the Circuit Court of Macou County, To the

December Term, A. D. 1891,

For Petitioners, vs. the unknown heirs of

Frederick Olin, deceased.

A FIDELITY having been filed in the office

of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macou

County, that the names and residences of the

heirs of Frederick Olin, deceased, are un-

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Shoes

Aug. 19, 1891

Slight of Lip in Pittsburg.

The Burlington Hawkeye man

writes from the city of snow-flakes:

Did you ever see a Pittsburger get

a flake of snow off his face? He

never rubs it. To rub off a flake of

snow discloses the stranger. It also

leaves a streak of black, half an inch

wide, in place of the flake of snow as

big as a 3 cent piece. This is not

an improvement. The Pittsburger

to the man born blows it off. He

is an adept at the art. If the flake

rests on his nose, he protrudes his

under lip, gives one vigorous whiff,

and the obnoxious Pittsburg snow-

flake leaves his face without a mark.

If it lights on either cheek, the

mouth is puckered and stretched

around in the direction of the snout,

with the unerring accuracy of a gar-

den hose. It is astonishing what

inaccessible portions of the face and

head can be reached by the native

burgher in this way. I have seen

one who could puff a black flake off

the back of his neck. Sometimes

the heavy spot will nestle close in

behind the left ear, where it is ap-

parently secure from the blow as a

calm centre. But the native simply

gives it a puff clear around his head

from left to right; the current passes

over the left ear, caroms on the

right, and comes back and picks up

the wanderer and blows him away.

They puff these sable flakes in any

position as easily as a weekly paper

puffs the summer circus.

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The leading scientists of today agree that

most diseases are caused by disorders of the Kidney

or Liver. If therefore the Kidney and Liver

are kept in perfect order, perfect health will

be the result. This truth has only been known

a short time and for years people suffer a

great agony without being able to find relief.

The discovery of Warner's Safe Kidney and

Liver Cure marks a new era in the treatment

of these troubles. Made from a simple tropi-

cal leaf of rare value, it contains just the el-

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both of these great organs and safely restore

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Hams, 12 cents; Sliced Ham, 17 1/2 cents;

Lard, 12 cents.

Breakfast Bacon, Dried

Beef Bologna and Lard

at Wholesale and Retail.

Aug. 15, 1891

Petition to Sell Real Estate.

STATE OF ILLINOIS,

Macou County,

In the County Court of said County, to the

County Clerk, vs. the heirs of Martin P.

Martin P. Murphy, administrator of the estate

of Martin P. Murphy, deceased, vs. Mary P.

Mary P. Murphy, et al., petitioners.

John L. Murphy, Elizabeth Murphy, et al.,

respondents.

Whereas, the said Martin P. Murphy, deceased,

was the owner of certain real estate, to-wit:

One lot of land, situated in the County of

Macou, State of Illinois, containing

one acre and one-half of land, more or less,

situated in the County of Macou, State of

Illinois, and one lot of land, situated in the

County of Macou, State of Illinois, con-

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